New Oxford Item.

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Hampton Items

Rev. Spangler and family, of East Berlin, and Mrs. Graby and son, of York, were the guests of Mr. Harry Myers and family of this place, one day last week Also Miss Laura Kraber of Bowlder, was a guest of the same family on Sunday.

Miss Iva Chronister, of this place, spent last week as the guest of Wm Rickroad's family, near this place.

Foreign Mission services will be held in the Reformed church this place, this Sunday morning.

Mr Noah Hersh and wife, of York Springs, were the guests of Mr Heinard's of this place on Monday.

Mrs McClure, of York, who had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Dr. G. E. Spotz, of this place, for some time returned home Sunday.

Mr. P C Hoffman and family, of near New Chester, were the guests of E. J Hoffman and family of this place, Sunday.

Miss Swisher, of Gettysburg, is visiting friends here H.

Dropsy

Neuralgia of the Heart For Years.

Pain Went From Heart to Head.

Dr. Miles' Heart Cure and Nervine Cured.

"About three years ago my sister was so badly affected with heart trouble and neuralgia of the heart that we did not expect her to live. Although we had a first-class physician she grew worse under his treatment. She had a swollen dropsical look and had frequent spells of neuralgia pain at her heart when she would render the most heart-rending moans and shrieks. At times the pain would go from her heart to her head when a lump would appear on her temple half as large as an egg. One night she got up in bed and ran into the back yard crying with pain; she was not conscious of it, however, and was brought back to the house by neighbors. I bought for her a bottle each of Dr. Miles' Nervine and Heart Cure which helped her greatly. She afterward used some five or six bottles and has never had a spell since. I had used your medicine with great benefit myself. I know that Nervine and Heart Cure not only saved my sister's life but also saved me from insanity and death. I was so nervous I could not bear the slightest noise or movement around me and I suffered from palpitation and pain in the heart. I had choking sensations, dizzy and faint spells, smothering spells when I could scarcely get my breath; I was so nervous I was treated like a child and at one time it was thought I was losing my mind. Nervine saved me from insanity."—KATIE ACKES, Clover Creek, Pa.

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Workman's Leg Broken.

Abram Staley, a workman on the Reading railroad in Gettysburg, met with an ugly accident Wednesday afternoon. While helping to house ice he fell from a car to the ground, and a large cake of ice, weighing about 200 pounds, followed, striking a plank with much force. The plank struck Mr. Staley on the leg breaking the bones between the knee and ankle.

Buys a Turnpike.

Stephen Emery, of Bethlehem, for the Chambersburg and Gettysburg Electric Company, has bought the 480 shares of the company operating the turnpike from Chambersburg to beyond Graffensburg, fifteen miles, for $33,600, and thus removed the last obstacle in the way of building the trolley line from Chambersburg to Gettysburg.

Resigned.

John A. M. Rife, of Spring Grove, now a student at the Dickinson School of Law at Carlisle, who was elected President of the Adams County Debating Society, composed of debaters of both York and Adams counties, has resigned the office, and Prof George S Miller, of near New Chester, has been appointed to fill the vacancy until the society meets to elect a new president.

Met Death While Going for Doctor.

Christopher Schroeder, a prominent resident of Shrewsbury township, York county, died Saturday from injuries sustained while riding to Shrewsbury to summon a physician to attend his daughter. His horse fell, and Schroeder ruptured an internal organ. He was 58 years old. Sadie, the daughter for whom he was in quest of a physician when the accident occurred, died Jan. 28.

Serious Operation.

Edgar T. Blocher, son of T. S. Blocher, of Littlestown, and a student in the department of dentistry at the University of Pennsylvania, in Philadelphia, underwent an operation Saturday at the hands of the surgeon of that institution for gangrenous appendicitis, with absess. By last accounts received, the young man passed through the ordeal well and was progressing nicely. He is a member of the class which will graduate in June next.

"Lucky Jim"

James Hutton, a transient resident of this place for the past 12 years, last Thursday received word from Ireland that he had fallen heir to a sum of money in that country

At the time "Jimmie," as he is familiarly called, received the message, he was cleaning and piling up brick at the house recently destroyed by fire. While he felt elated at the news he kept on working. He has not decided yet whether he will go back to Ireland to receive the money or have it sent to him.—Comet.

The scratch of a pin may cause the loss of a limb or even death when blood poisoning results from the injury. All danger of this may be avoided, however, by promptly applying Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It is an antiseptic and quick healing liniment for cuts, bruises and burns. For sale by Randolph Wehler.

New Chester Items.

Luther Ehrehart and wife and John Stevens, of New Chester, and Annie Myers, of York Springs.

Lottie Swope, of Westminster, is home with her mother.

Ernest Pottorff is on the sick list but is slowly improving.

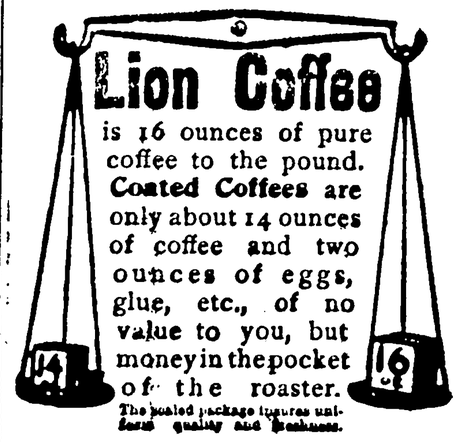
Frank McIlhenny visited Abraham Kunkle of this place.

Born, Jan. 31st to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Witters, a 9 pound boy.

Misses Maggie Flemming and Mamie Kunkle visited friends at York Springs.

Mrs. Ida Miller, Miss Stella Trimmer and George Butt, of East Berlin, visited friends in this place Sunday.

Mrs. Emma Winand made a business trip to Hanover Monday. H.



Missionary Institute.

On Thursday, February 13, a Missionary Institute will be held in the Methodist church at Hanover. The congregations of Gettysburg, New Oxford, Littlestown, York Springs, etc, have been invited to attend and take part. Among the speakers will be Dr. Gamewell, who is known as the "hero of Pekin." Dr. Gamewell is now Field Secretary of the Foreign Missions of the Methodist Church. The Presiding Elder of this district urges the attendance of church and Sunday school officers and Epworth Leaguers. If they will notify the pastor, Rev. Weeks, free entertainment will be provided.

Small Fortune found in Dead Man's Pocket.

Frederick Neubert, 67 years old, was found dead in the rear of his little abode near Penn Park, York. He was found seated upon a cot, by a gas man who had entered his home to read a meter. Neubert was a native of Germany. He came to York more than a quarter of a century ago and made a fortune by the practice of herb medicine and the sale of charms for the cure of diseases. In his pockets were found money and negotiable paper to the value of $5800.

Several months ago Neuber told frinds that when he died a portion of his money was to be used to purchase a bronze statue of William Penn for Penn Park. No will or written bequest was found among his effects. He always claimed to be without relatives.

Keffer Loses Suit.

The suit of Selma Stern against Constable Andrew Keger, of McSherrystown, which was taken up for trial in Common Pleas court at Gettysburg Wednesday, occupied the attention of the court until Thursday afternoon.

The action is one of trespass, wherein Miss Selma claims the value of certain goods sold by Constable Keffer, in the interest of Maryland creditors, as the plaintiff's father. Miss Selma says the goods were hers. Constable Keffer contended that they belonged to Papa Julius The jury found for the plaintiff Thursday afternoon in the amount of $250 and costs.

Marksman's Gun Bursts.

The York Springs Gun Club, of which Wilbert Shetron, of Huntington township, is an enthusiastic member, was indulging in a clay and live bird match recently and among those who were present to show proofs of their marksmanship was Mr Shetron. As it happened, the occasion might have been a serious one, so far as he is concerned, and that he did not meet bodily injury or a tragic death is only by the rarest good fortune.

Mr. Shetron was participating in the prevailing sport as a matter of course. He had stepped into position and leveled his gun, giving word to spring the trap and release the bird. As the latter rose, he pulled the trigger of his rifle. There was a muffled report and the right barrel burst about two inches in front of his hand cutting a piece out of the Damascus barrel three inches long and two inches wide The accident is supposed to have been caused by a piece of the shell from a former discharge lodging there, and that Mr Shetron was not injured is regarded by those who saw it as something almost in the nature of a miracle.

No Food for Ten Weeks.

It is about a month since we chronicled the peculiar malady affecting Miss Kate Mickley, daughter of James O. Mickley, of near Virginia Mills. Miss Mickley, it will be recalled, was seized with an attack of hiccoughs and in spite of all that could be done to relieve the continuous strain upon her, the malady retained its grasp upon her and the hiccoughing could not be relieved or ever alleviated to any material degree, in spite of the best medical attention. The sufferer was naturally very much weakened by the constant distressing symptoms. She was unable to take food and we are now informed that for a period of ten weeks she has eaten practically nothing She is still lying in a critical condition.

Beef Tougue.
Oysters in all styles,
Clam Soup,
Ham, Tongue and Cheese Sandwiches,
Deviled Crabs,
Soda Water, Ice Cream, Etc.
AT CURTIS E DIEHL'S,
Center Square Cafe.

Victims of Carelessness.

Hiram Florence, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Florence, of near Emmitsburg, was one of the three men killed at 7 o'clock, Friday morning, Jan. 23, in the eastern end of the Wabash tunnel, south side of Pittsburg, by an explosion of dynamite. The other two killed: Frank Taylor, night foreman, crushed to death and Thomas Harvey, negro. Hiram Florence, was day foreman, had his head blown off. Three men were also seriously injured

Blasts had been prepared by the night crew in the eastern end of the heading and Day Foreman Florence had gone in with Night Foreman Taylor to see what had been done With the foreman were four workmen. As the little party was going toward the charges of dynamite some person at the top of the shaft turned on the electric current without notification, and when Taylor who carried the wires, inserted them into the charge of dynamite the explosion followed.

Romance at Littlestown.

Just her name and address on an egg resulted in the happy wooing and marriage of Miss Emma Snyder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Snyder, of Union township, to Mr. Thomas Norwood, of Baltimore. The marriage took place in Baltimore last Sunday evening and the bride and groom went to housekeeping on Monday. About two years ago, as her father was about to make a shipment of egg to Baltimore, the lady wrote her name and address on one of the eggs. It was handled by Mr. Norwood who was in the commission business. A correspondence was at once begun by the gentleman which ended in "courtship and marriage."

MILLIONS PUT TO WORK—The activity of the new century is shown by an enormous demand for the world's best workers—Dr. King's New Life Pills. For Constipation, Sick Headache, Biliousness, or any trouble of Stomach, Liver or Kidneys they're unrivaled. Only 25c at Randolph Wehlers drug store.

Handkerchief Bazaar.

Bazaar and Festival will be held in Miller's Hall, Friday and Saturday evenings, Feb. 13 and 14, for benefit of Reformed Sanday School.

Kissed His Wife and Then Shot Her.

Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 4.—A special from Winston-Salem, N. C., says: Banks Miller and his wife had a dispute Monday and decided to separate. She left her husband, taking their two children to the home of relatives. Last night Miller called to see his wife, and after talking over their misunderstanding the wife consented to live with her husband again. As he started to leave the room he asked his wife to come to the door and kiss him good night. She complied with the request. Miller immediately thereafter turned around and fired at her, the ball taking effect in her right breast. The husband then placed the pistol to his head and fired. When the officers arrived at the house Miller and his wife were lying on the floor dead. There were two eye-witnesses to the awful tragedy.

GENERAL MARKETS

Phladelpha, Pa., Feb. 3. — Flour was steady; winter superfine, $2.70@2.90; Pennsylvania roller, clear, $3.10@3.25; city mills, extra, $2.95@3.10. Rye flour was quiet at $3.15@3.20 per barrel. Wheat was firm; No. 2 Pennsylvania, red, new, 80c. Corn, firm; No. 2 yellow, local, 54c. Oats were quiet; No. 2 white, clipped, 43c; lower grades, 42½c. Hay was steady; No. 1 timothy, $20.50@21 for large bales. Beef was steady beef hams, $19@20. Pork was firm; family, $20. Live poultry, 13c. for hens and 9@9½c. for old roosters. Dressed poultry, 13½c for choice fowls, and 10c. for old roosters. Butter was steady; creamery, 25c. per pound. Eggs, steady; New York and Pennsylvania, 23c. per dozen. Potatoes were steady; choice, 68@70c. per bushel.

Live Stock Markets.

East Liberty, Pa., Feb 3. — Cattle were firm; choice, $5.10@5.25; prime, $4.80@5; good, $4.50@4.75. Hogs were slow; prime heavies, $7@7.05; mediums, $7@7.05; heavy yorkers, $7; light yorkers, $6.95@7; pigs, $6.90@7; roughs, $5.50@6.50. Sheep were steady; best wethers, $4.65@4.80; culls and common, $2@2.50; choice lambs, $6@6.10; veal calves, $7.50@8.

East Buffalo, N. Y, Feb. 3.—Cattle steady, unchanged; prime steers, $5@5.25; butchers' steers, $3.75@4.50; heifers, $3.50@4.25; cows, $2.50@4.25; bulls, $3@4.25; stock heifers, $2.50@3. Veals, strong and 25c. higher; tops, $8.50@9; common to good, $5.50@8.25. Hogs were active and higher; heavy, $7.05@7.10; mixed $7@7.05; yorkers, $7@7.05; pigs, $7.15@7.30; roughs, $6@6.25; stags, $5@5.50. Sheep and lambs were steady; top lambs, $6.30@6.40, culls to good, $1.25@6.25; yearlings $5@5.25; ewes $4.25@4.40; sheep, top mixed, $4.25@4.50; culls $2@4.15.

A WEEK'S NEWS CONDENSED.

Thursday, January 29.

The Maine legislature yesterday held exercises in memory of the late Thomas B. Reed.

The Italian cabinet has adopted a bill providing a wireless station for messages between Italy and South America.

The Kansas legislature yesterday elected Chester I. Long to succeed William A. Harris as United States senator.

The torpedo boat flotilla which took part in the naval manoeuvres in the West Indies arrived at Norfolk, Va., yesterday.

Friday, January 30.

An American chamber of commerce was organized at Berlin, Germany, last night, with 101 members.

Seven Chinamen, said to have been smuggled into this country, were arrested at Buffalo, N. Y., yesterday.

Chief Justice J. Brewster McCollum, of the Pennsylvania supreme court, is seriously ill at his home at Montrose.

Levi Ankeny, millionaire banker, of Walla Walla, was elected to the United States senate yesterday to succeed George Turner, of Washington.

Mr. Bristow, of New York, introduced a bill in the house yesterday to increase the salary of the president of the United States from $50,000 to $100,000.

Saturday, January 31.

Last evening Mrs. Roosevelt gave her usual Friday evening musicale at the White House.

Mrs. Betsey M. Lewis, aged 101 years, died yesterday at the Harrisburg Home for the Friendless.

The sultan of Turkey received United States Minister Leishman in private audience yesterday.

The Maryland Telephone and Telegraph company was sold yesterday to a syndicate for $2,000,000.

The Alabama legislature passed a bill prohibiting the sale of cigarettes or cigarette paper in the state.

James Tulloch, a Chicago manufacturer, choked to death while eating supper yesterday. A piece of meat lodged in his windpipe.

Monday, February 2.

Mrs. Adam Reichert, during a family quarrel on Saturday, shot and killed her husband at Hazleton, Pa.

About 600 carpenters and joiners went on strike today at Wilkesbarre, Pa., for an increase of wages.

William J. Bryan will attend the barbecue of the Jefferson-Jackson-Lincoln League at Columbus, O., February 12.

Former President Cleveland was elected first vice president of the Princeton (N. J.) Fish and Game Protective Association.

The Chicago authorities began the sale of coal to the public at cost, and the demand became so great that orders had to be limited to half a ton each.

Tuesday, February 3.

The United States Supreme Court yesterday took a recess for three weeks.

The Monroe Club, of Boston, has endorsed Richard Olney as the Democratic candidate for president.

W. D. Freedland, a business man from Clinton, N. J., dropped dead yesterday at Riverside, Cal., from a paralytic stroke.

While returning from church Sunday evening Mary Williams, of Eckman, W. Va., was shot and killed by a discarded sweetheart.

Jordan Coy, a negro, was killed and an Italian injured in the falling of a scaffold in the Princeton (N. J.) University gymnasium yesterday.

Wednesday, February 4.

The international convention of the Epworth League will be held at Detroit, Mich., July 16-19.

Fire destroyed six blocks in the business section of Middlebury, Vt., yesterday. Loss estimated at $150,000.

A bill providing for the abolishment of capital punishment was introduced in the New York legislature yesterday.

By an explosion of nitro-glycerine at Marietta, O., yesterday Mrs. John Newell was killed and her two sons seriously injured.

Charles C. Morris a cook aboard the new battleship Maine, now lying at League Island Navy Yard, Philadelphia, fell down an open hatchway and broke his neck.

Fatal Grade Crossing Accident.

Lewiston, Pa., Feb. 3.—An omnibus running between Lewiston and Lewiston Junction was struck by a moving car at a grade crossing on the Milroy Branch railroad yesterday evening and completely demolished. Mrs. Charles C. Kline, of Lewiston, was instantly killed and R. M. McCoy and James Long, the driver both of Lewiston, seriously injured. Two others in the omnibus were slightly hurt.

FOR THE FAIR

THE HOT WATER REMEDY.

A worn out woman who retires at night, or lies down for a few minutes' rest at noonday with a feeling that sleep is impossible, should try the hot water remedy. Simply bathe the face and temples, the wrists and cords of the neck in water as hot as can be borne. For a daytime nap the dress should be loosened at the throat and waist, or, better still, the clothes should be removed entirely, just as when retiring for the night. A glass of hot water with a little sugar and a few drops of lemon juice is a favorite drink of French women and is an excellent sleep producer. Eau sucre, as it is called, takes the place in France often occupied by tea here.

ONION CURE FOR COLDS.

The efficacy of onions for regulating the digestive tract and curing all kinds of colds has long been known. There are three different kinds of doses or forms of the onion cure, the diet, the syrup and the plaster. All three, separately or collectively, are good for a cold according to its nature and severity. To break up a cold the onions should be cooked in any palatable form and eaten with each meal for a day or two. Onion syrup may be obtained at any drug store and is excellent for bronchial coughs. The onion plaster should be used to break up a severe cold on the chest. It is made by placing freshly fried onions between two pieces of old muslin. This should be applied while quite hot to the chest of the patient in bed and allowed to remain on over night. All these remedies are harmless and effective, the only trouble with them being that some people consider the remedies worse than the disease.

BOUQUET FANS.

"Why, you look like a bride with that bouquet of lilies of the valley," said her escort, as she appeared in the drawing-room.

"Oh, that," she said, "is a floral fan in masquerade, a la perfume and all," and she unfurled the dainty petals, then closed the stems again.

The floral fan is the latest feminine fad. There are big bouquets of violets cleverly perfumed, and so natural in color, shape and size that they are well calculated to deceive the eyes of even the most up-to-date florist.

There are pure white violet fans, and lavender and purple ones shaded like the different varieties and quite as fragrant.

Then there are lily of the valley fans, with leaves and without, daintily arranged, and with the scent of the real blossoms clinging to them.

Poppy fans will be specially popular during the party season this winter, for use with pure white, all red and all black gowns. In the very large poppy fans some of the green leaves are used, but in the smaller ones only the petals with green or black centres look well.—Indianapolis News.

A FEW SHOPPING DON'TS.

Don't try to do too much in a day.

Don't swing your purse recklessly. Others may care for it if you don't.

Don't walk miles to save a few pennies. Shoeleather and good nerves cost money.

When you go forth to buy, don't get sidetracked and go a sightseeing.

Don't forget to take along a bag in which to put the small parcels, then you will not be minus several at the close of the day.

Don't delay until 2 p. m. to start out shopping.

Don't make a list and then leave it home in your desk.

Don't forget to unbotton your coat and release your neck fur when you enter the big stores intending to stay some time.

Don't let your skirt trail when shopping; you deserve to have it stepped on if you do.

Don't wear a trailing skirt to shop in, anyway.

Don't carry a large sum of money in your pocketbook.

Don't let your generous inclinations do violence to your financial limitations.

Don't keep on shopping long after your strength has left you and your head aches and bones cry for mercy.

Don't drag the little children around with you on the wearisome purchasing round.

Don't take the baby into the crowded, ill-ventilated places.

Don't take the baby anyway.

HOW TO BRING UP A DAUGHTER.

Unfortunately, there is a type of mother who seems to think that a daughter is always a child and never reaches the age of responsibility. Poor, crushed creatures these young women are. Many of them dare hardly call their souls their own. They are not allowed to choose their friends—the mothers see to that—and the consequence is the girls are probably made to consort with companions who have no tastes in common with them, and the unhappy girls are deprived of one of girlhood's greatest charms—congenial company.

But some mothers go a step further than this; they will not allow daughters to invite friends indoors. The girls are allowed to attend at this house, that house, and the next house; but as for inviting the girls of these houses in return, that they dare not do. Naturally, the unfortunate girls get talked about, and in time wear a crushed, disappointed look.

The young women are brought up in such a manner that male society is looked upon as a positive sin; and the years pass and they find out one day that they are old maids, and nothing more; but the mothers still keep a tight hold of the reins.

As for housework, why, the mothers won't trust them to do anything in this line, and so they grow up useless in every way.

What if the parents die? What becomes of these unhappy girls? They can do nothing, and if the fathers die first, and the mothers follow, and the girls are unprovided for, their outlook is indeed a blank one.

A mother's duty is to so train a girl that she will turn out a useful member of society—one ready to take up the duty of wife and mother; but if parents persist in crushing daughters, and treating them constantly as children, the girls become failures in life, and through no fault of their own. The natural tendencies, the individual bent of mind, being stunted, one can only expect the girls to grow up insipid, sickly types of womanhood.—St. Louis Star.

EARTH AND BOUDOIR

For oily hair, put a teaspoonful of borax in the water for a shampoo, and in the rinsing water also.

For scant eyebrows, get an ounce of sweet almond oil; warm a few drops every night and apply with a small camel's hair brush, always towards the temples.

The blackheads in the ears are simply dirt (and soap, possibly) that has accumulated. Apply a warm cloth until they can be pressed out; a watch-key is a good instrument; touch each afterwards with a drop of diluted alcohol.

Cocoa butter, melted, is a most excellent medium for plumping out a thin neck. It is very oily and easily absorbed. Melt a small piece and use while warm, with a circular motion of the fingers towards the back of the neck.

Begin at the root of the trouble for enlarged pores. They are simply inactive pores. Eat plenty of fresh and stewed fruits, and drink plenty of pure water. Bathe the face well in warm water and a pure soap, rubbing and washing it thoroughly; rinse first in warm, then cold water, and rub with soft cloth until it glows.

FADS AND FANCIES

Lace applique plays a conspicuous part on many of the handsome collars.

Velvet pastilles, as well as chenilles, are used in the adorning of these modish finishes.

A cluster of mink tails catches the fronts of the full lace collars of a lovely brocade evening wrap.

Wool embroidery is cleverly worked into collars as well as into various other parts of the costume.

The black silk coat, once omnipresent, has suffered an almost complete extinction. Even covert coats are out, except for morning wear and shopping.

One is glad to note that picture hats for street wear are being discouraged. Nothing could be more inappropriate with tailor gowns or shirt-waist suits, and besides, large hats are in the way in street cars.

Collarless bodices are taking the lead wherever there is any dressiness attempted. This feature particularly divides the two styles of costumes, while it strictly imposes itself upon the fine creations of the dressmaker's art.

Gold braid trims many of the beaver hats. A turban shape, tri-cornered, has the turnup brim bound with gold braid, and is trimmed with a large rosette or cockade of brown velvet and gold braid. From this falls a black and green coque amazon.

One of the quietest and most ladylike costumes this year is a pale gray gown of crepe de chine, made simply with a high neck and stock. With this is a pale gray coat, simple, but of the finest material, with a collar, a short one around the throat or at the back of it, of chinchilla.

Difficult to Avoid Notoriety

By Henry D. Ferguson, LL.D.

THE bane of the American in public life is notoriety—the most difficult thing for him to avoid. Always a spectacular people, we are growing more and more accustomed to the publicity that is demanded and enjoyed by both the actors and the audience, and have dropped all too easily into the habit of having people regard us as being of more importance than in reality we are. This is one of the vices of the age.

But, claim some, the desire for renown, the thirst for fame, is highly commendable and befitting the loftiest patriot and the most modest private citizen. There has ever existed in man the wish to be celebrated. "The happiest of all men is he who lives in conscious certainty of posthumous fame," was written by a Roman poet nearly 2000 years ago, and is as true to-day as when written.

But there is a vast difference between fame and notoriety. Fame rests on respect and admiration; notoriety is less valuable, because it is commonly used of things known to their disadvantage and is at best built principally and usually upon the lowest order of curiosity. It is a habit that develops the coarser side of human nature and appeals to the lower motives.

The philosophers tell us that the pure and manly and those that aim high must be simple; and if simple, must keep a large part of their life out of the market place.

To accomplish this—to avoid cheap and glittering notoriety—is the hardest task of all. For there are these two forces constantly at war—the centripetal sending us out to our kind and the centrifugal drawing us in to our inner selves. It is necessary to seek social existence and so create society and to vindicate the fact of our personality. Even the prisoner objects to lose his individuality, and to be known as "No. 964." There is in every man a legitimate desire for the sympathy of his kind.

But the man who inherits the old fashioned love of privacy is robbed of what he holds highest in life when surrounded by—literally bathed in—notoriety.

A healthy care for the good opinion and sympathy of our fellow man and a longing for his approval of our public acts is good and becomes a stimulus for better things; but a thirst for applause from the heedless thousands—applause for personal weaknesses rather than approval for public deeds—is debasing and contemptible. Excitement has usurped the place of happiness.

And so overmastering has this passion for notoriety become, the public is so insatiable for new horrors in the notorious, that the lives of its public servants are obliged to be blazoned abroad with more and more minuteness of detail until their daily chroniclings are either exaggerated beyond semblance of truth or made up entirely of new and brightly colored calico.

Commerce is King

By Gabriel Hanotaux, Foreign Minister of France

MODERN energy is consecrated to commerce. The world wants to produce more and more, and wants more and more to exchange its products. The earth is similar to a large orange that human labor squeezes. The earth itself does not suffice. Man borrows from the atmosphere, from the sun, the forces disseminated in space. He takes them to multiply the products that his appetite claims.

Another form of labor takes hold of the amazing products, measures them, classifies them, ships them, inscribes them, counts them, pays for them, in order that they may increase in passing from producer to consumer, that they may become values by circulating merely. Wealth, like heat, is the daughter of motion. By traversing the earth, man widens his "prison;" his perpetual agitation increases in his eyes the little planet that confines him.

It is commerce that produces these astonishing effects, or—if one wish—these singular illusions. Aided by modern invention, which has created swift means of transport and of communication, commerce makes secondary in the present phase of history most other manifestations of human activity. Antiquity has known nothing similar to that. Men who have written on social life considered formerly economics as an inferior part of politics. Commerce was only to assure the normal subsistence of the city's inhabitants.

The modern movement began to develop in the sixteenth century. Germany contributed more to it than one may believe. In her actual development Germany has done nothing more than to rediscover the processes in which she made experiments in the Middle Ages. The Hanseatic League was an initiator. The example of the great modern fortunes was furnished certainly by the Fugger family, those bankers of Augsburg about whom so many interesting details appear in the "Conversations of Luther."

"Fugger said that he did not know the amount of his wealth, for his money was in Turkey, in Greece, in Alexandria, in France, in Portugal, in Poland and in England. He could estimate only what he had in Augsburg."

This is the starting point. President McKinley, on the eve of the day when he was struck by an assassin, told the new perspectives that were open to the world. He said sagely that commercial wars were without profit, that overproduction in America had to obtain by treaties new fields.

Europe will have to settle soon the grave and complex question of exchanges with America. The commercial future of the world demands a new, prodigious effort of human activity. This explains why the young men of the day incline to a commercial career. They are impelled by a force stronger than they. Every one feels that the life of a nation depends as much upon activity in time of peace as upon courage in time of war.

Eye Strain, Our Worst Ill

By a Distinguished Eye Specialist

THERE is no greater cruelty, no greater crime against humanity, than that of non-recognition and scorn of eye-strain. Headache, "sick headache," "dyspepsia," "nervousness," melancholia, insomnia, indescribable suffering—these were some of the more prominent symptoms that, in various mixtures, rendered so miserable the lives of De Quincey, Carlyle, Darwin, Huxley, Browning, Spencer, Wagner and other persons less known to fame.

Eye-strain in children should be noticed at once and suitably treated. Many children are met with who blink incessantly, and for this involuntary habit they are often punished by ignorant parents or guardians. The blinking is due to some error of refraction in the eye, and the consequent effort made in accommodation, or, in less technical phrase, focussing on the retina or optic nerve the objects which the child is looking at.

A child kept at near-range ocular work, such as reading, writing, sewing and so forth, finds the page becoming blurred owing to the lens of his eye failing to focus with accuracy. He then blinks and increases his efforts at accommodation, and the letters are again seen clearly. After reading a few more lines the page again becomes blurred, and the blinking process is repeated. It is performed so often in the day that at last it becomes a habit.

It not infrequently happens that a spasmodic closure of the lid is superadded to the winking, and later on the whole face may participate in the act, with the accompanying grimaces peculiar to chorea, or St. Vitus' dance. Thus a habit chorea—which is not the real chorea—is formed, and, although it is often met with, it is seldom treated intelligently. Such patients should be sent to an oculist, and no time wasted at first in giving drugs.

Migraine is a painful affliction; sick headache, megrim, hemicrania, nervous headache and bilious headache are other names for the same thing. It causes a large number of other symptoms, and is itself of a varied type, according to the kind of near work required, and the temperament of the patient. Out of 1000 cases of this disease, ninety-nine out of every hundred were cured by spectacles. As one gets older, eye-strain becomes rarer, hence the frequent disappearance of sick headache at the age of from fifty to sixty years. Seamstresses, typewriters, clerks, students, teachers and mechanics or handicraftsmen who cannot stop near-range ocular work or limit it without risking starvation are great sufferers from migraine and all its melancholy miseries. Instead of drugging themselves with dangerous medicines, which in the end make wrecks of their constitutions, all they require to do is to secure a suitable pair of spectacles to correct their eye defects. The cure is so ludicrously simple that it is generally overlooked. In children especially all nervous symptoms should excite the suspicion that the eyes may be at fault and lead to their examination by an oculist. Their appropriate treatment may obviate lifelong misery.

Farm Topics

RAISING DAIRY COWS.

If dairymen would depend upon raising their dairy animals themselves, the result would be much more satisfactory, as a rule, than to buy from stockmen or speculators in a haphazard way any "pickups" that are offered.

In order to begin right, calves should be selected whose grandams on both sides had a good record at the pail or churn; then there will be a reasonable hope that the calf will evolve into a profitable cow.

If they are in the dairy business for milk, then the attention is drawn toward the animal which will turn her food and energies into furnishing an abundance of milk; but if the aim be cream or butter we do not care whether the amount of milk be large or small, so it yields a proper amount of butter fat.

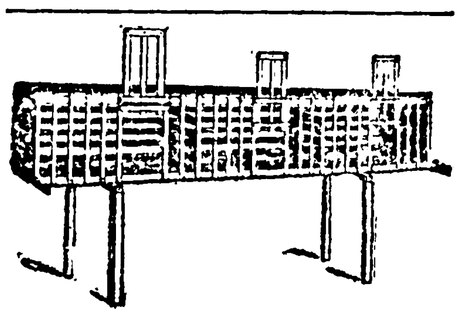
But if the dairyman deems the rearing of calves only a "side issue," and as a result gives only indifferent treatment, he might just as well buy his own cows; for a stunted calf is a pitiable object, and will never fulfill its destiny, no matter what its after treatment may be.

Extravagance in the feeding of the calf is pardonable—parsimoniousness, never. Extravagant feeding—it would be so called by many—means fresh milk from the cow or new milk for at least three weeks after the birth of the calf; and the calf that is not worth what new milk it can consume during the first few weeks of its life is not worth the rearing. Let me emphasize that the first weeks of the calf's existence determines its value later on.—Dairy Farmer.

FATTENING CHICKENS IN COOPS.

Although the cramming machine in the hands of an expert will probably give the best results in finished product, small coops for fattening chickens will be found the most profitable by most chicken raisers. These coops are used very largely in England and have been adopted successfully by the Canadian Government. The accompanying illustration shows a coop divided into three parts, which will hold a dozen chickens. These coops are built of lathe and one inch square pieces for the framework. Each part is two feet long, sixteen inches wide and twenty inches high, which experiments have shown to be the best size.

The coops are placed out of doors in the shade, either under trees or in an open shed, but in severe weather should be placed in a closed building. A small V-shaped trough is used to hold the feed, and water is supplied in a cup, which may be fastened to the slats. Young chickens from four to six months of age are commonly used for fattening. About four are placed in a coop, where they are fed three times daily, as much as they will eat of ground grain, chiefly oats. At or near the end of the period of fattening, which lasts from four to six weeks, a



COOP FOR FATTENING CHICKENS.

little tallow is added to the feed, which at all times is mixed with skim milk.

In a trial with 100 chickens, Professor James W. Robinson, of Canada, found that they almost doubled in weight in thirty-six days of feeding. For every pound of increase in live weight they consumed 5.44 pounds ground oats and 6.43 pounds skimmilk. At $1 per 100 pounds for ground oats and twenty cents per 100 pounds of skimmilk, the cost was nearly six and three-quarter cents per pound gain for feed only.

While the increase in weight was nearly 100 per cent., this gain was mostly of flesh. Three chickens dressed before fattening weighed, with feathers off, eight pounds and eight ounces. After this period of fattening, three chickens, of the same quality at the start, weighed, with feathers off, sixteen pounds four ounces, their bones one pound eleven ounces, and the edible meat seven pounds six ounces. Not only was there a gain of about 200 per cent in edible meat, but it was of much better quality. If all fowls, when fattened for the market, are confined for a month in coops of this kind and fed in a similar manner, they will return a much higher price and greater profit.

FARM NOTES.

Paint all the buildings and tools, and thus keep out the moisture and double the life of the woodwork.

When you get a new brush hold it with the hair end up and the handle down, spread out the bristles and pour in a spoonful of good varnish, allowing it to become dry. This has a tendency to prevent the brush shedding its bristles when it is used, and also keeps it from shrinking and falling to pieces.

COMMODORE NICHOLSON OF OUR NAVY

Recommends Pe-ru-na---Other Prominent Men Testify.

Commodore Somerville Nicholson, of the United States Navy, in a letter from 1837 R St., N. W., Washington, D. C., says:

"Your Peruna has been and is now used by so many of my friends and acquaintances as a sure cure for catarrh that I am convinced of its curative qualities, and I unhesitatingly recommend it to all persons suffering from that complaint."—S. Nicholson.

The highest men in our nation have given Peruna a strong endorsement. Men of all classes and stations are equally represented.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case, and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, O.

Ask Your Druggist for a free Peruna Almanac for 1904.

More than 300 competitors have announced their intention to participate in the airship race for the $100,000 prize at St. Louis.

FITS permanently cured. No fits or nervousness after first day's use of Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. $2 trial bottle and treatise free Dr. R. H. KLINE, Ltd., 931 Arch St., Phila., Pa.

Don't make the mistake of giving a man advice which doesn't confirm his own opinion.

Earliest Green Onions.

The John A. Salzer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis., always have something new, something valuable. This year they offer among their new money making vegetables an Earliest Green Eating Onion. It is a winner. Mr. Farmer and Gardener!

JUST SEND THIS NOTICE AND 16c.

and they will send you their big plant and seed catalog, together with enough seed to grow

1,000 fine, solid Cabbages,
2,000 delicious Carrots,
2,000 Blanching, nutty Celery,
2,000 rich, buttery Lettuce,
1,000 splendid Onions,
1,000 rare, luscious Radishes,
1,000 gloriously brilliant Flowers.

In all over 10,000 plants—this great offer is made to get you to test their warranted vegetable seeds and

ALL FOR BUT 16c. POSTAGE,

providing you will return this notice, and if you will send them 20c. in postage, they will add to the above a package of the famous Berliner Cauliflower. [A.C.L.]

A man usually gets the last word in an argument with his wife because she gives it to him.

I am sure Piso's Cure for Consumption saved my life three years ago.—MRS. THOMAS ROBBINS, Maple St., Norwich, N.Y., Feb. 17, 1900.

If poets are born their ancestors should be held responsible.

Why Chang Yi Was Degraded.

The reason for the degredation of Chang Yi, Director of Northern Railways, and the taking from him of all his honors, as cabled, is that in 1900 he sold the valuable mines at Kai-Ping. Chang Yi has been given two months' grace, during which he is expected to bring the mines under Chinese control again. Should he fail to do this further punishments await him.

THREE YEARS AFTER.

Eugene E. Lario, of 751 Twentieth avenue, ticket seller in the Union Station, Denver, Col., says: "You are at liberty to repeat what I first stated through our Denver papers about Doan's Kidney Pills in the summer of 1899, for I have had no reason in the interim to change my opinion of the remedy. I was subject to severe attacks of backache, always aggravated if I sat long at a desk. Doan's Kidney Pills absolutely stopped my backache. I have never had a pain or a twinge since."

Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. For sale by all druggists. Price 50 cents per box.

The Funny Side of Life.

LOOK OUT FOR THE STICK.

And a man very oft
Will shoot up like a flame,
And we all gaze aloft
With admiring acclaim,
But the favors of fate
Are a cheat and a trick.
The rocket is great—
But look out for the stick!
—Washington Star.

PROVED AN ALIBI.

He—"The injured woman must have been out shopping."

She—"Impossible. She had money in her purse."

A PROVIDENT MIND.

He—"I think I'll go and speak to your father at once. He can't do more than kick me out."

She—"It seems a pity to risk it, dear, in that good suit."—Life.

THE CONQUERING HERO.

Alice—"Arthur is an abominable dancer, why do you give him so many dances?"

Edith—"Why, you seem to forget he is the star half back on the college eleven."

THAT NEVER HAPPENS.

Kwater—"It's more or less true that, as the old saw has it, 'charity covers a multitude of sins.'"

Hardhead—"But never if it's our charity and other people's sins."—Philadelphia Press.

THE PROFESSOR.

Bertha—"What a queer man that young professor is!"

Ethel—"Yes; I talked about new books, and he said he hadn't got through reading Shakespeare yet."—Detroit Free Press.

CAUSE OF TEARS.

Constance—"Why so lachrymose, Gertrude? Is there any perceptible diminution of his love?"

Gertrude—"No, but of late he evinces a disinclination to talk about his money."—Town Topics.

AS IT RELATED TO PA.

Teacher—"What is this word?"

Tommy—"I don't know, ma'am."

Teacher—"What does a gentleman remove when he enters a house?"

Tommy—"Well, if ma is awake he removes his shoes."—Chicago News.

USELESS FORMALITIES.

Teller—"But the check is not signed, Mrs. Smith."

Mrs. Smith—"Oh, do they have to be signed? What an awful lot of red tape there is about the banking business."—New York American.

CONCEALED WEAPONS.

The famous portrait painter threw down his brushes with a sigh.

"What is the matter?" asked his elderly blossom of a customer.

"It's no use," he cried. "I can never reproduce your loveliness."—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

A CHANGE OF ATTITUDE.

"We used to think she was a lazy girl."

"Yes; that was when she was poor."

"How about it now?"

"Why, now that she is rich we merely note the evidence of lassitude and ennui."—Chicago Post.

THE PROPER PLACE.

Editor—"Oh, yes; I'll publish your poem."

Ethel—"How good of you! And in what part of your paper will you put it?"

Editor—"Oh, I'll put it in right next of reading matter."—Judge.

TOO MUCH FOR HIM.

Manager—"Doctor, come into the store quick."

M. D.—"Is it a serious case?"

Manager—"Extremely so. A woman bought $10 worth and didn't ask for a single sample, and the clerk is now a gibbering idiot."—Butte Inter-Mountain.

THE OLDEST MAN IN AMERICA

Tells How He Escaped the Terrors of Many Winters by Using Pe-ru-na.

Mr. Brock's Age is 115 Years.

MR. ISAAC BROCK, BORN IN BUNCOMBE CO., N. C., MARCH 1, 1788

His age is 115 years, vouched for by authentic record. He says: "I attribute my extreme age to the use of Peruna."

Born before the United States was formed.
Saw 22 Pesidents elected.
Pe-ru-na has protected him from all sudden changes.
Veteran of four wars.
Shod a horse when 99 years old.
Always conquered the grip with Pe-ru-na.
Witness in a land suit at the age of 110 years.
Believes Peruna the greatest remedy of the age for catarrhal diseases.

ISAAC BROCK, a citizen of McLennan County, Texas, has lived for 115 years. For many years he resided at Rosque Falls, eighteen miles west of Waco, but now lives with his son-in-law at Valley Mills, Texas.

A short time ago, by request, Uncle Isaac came to Waco and sat for his picture. In his hand he held a stick cut from the grave of General Andrew Jackson, which has been carried by him ever since. Mr. Brock is a dignified old gentleman, showing few signs of decreptitude. His family Bible is still preserved, and it shows that the date of his birth was written 115 years ago.

Surely a few words from this remarkable old gentleman, who has had 115 years of experience to draw from, would be interesting as well as profitable. A lengthy biographical sketch is given of this remarkable old man in the Waco Times-Herald, December 4, 1898. A still more pretentious biography of this, the oldest living man, illustrated with a double column portrait, was given the readers of the Dallas Morning News, dated December 11, 1898, and also the Chicago Times-Herald of same date. This centenarian is an ardent friend of Peruna, having used it many years.

In speaking of his good health and extreme old age Mr. Brock says:

"After a man has lived in the world as long as I have he ought to have found out a great many things by experience. I think I have done so.

"One of the things I have found out to my entire satisfaction is the proper thing for ailments that are due directly to the effects of the climate. For 115 years I have withstood the changeable climate of the United States.

"I have always been a very healthy man, but of course subject to the little affections which are due to sudden changes in the climate and temperature. During my long life I have known a great many remedies for coughs, colds and diarrhoea.

"As for Dr. Hartman's remedy, Peruna, I have found it to be the best, if not the only, reliable remedy for these affections. It has been my standby for many years, and I attribute my good health and extreme old age to this remedy.

"It exactly meets all my requirements. It protects me from the evil effects of sudden changes; it keeps me in good appetite; it gives me strength; it keeps my blood in good circulation. I have come to rely upon it almost entirely for the many little things for which I need medicine.

"When epidemics of la grippe first began to make their appearance in this country I was a sufferer from this disease.

"I had several long steges with the grip. At first I did not know that Peruna was a remedy for this disease. When I heard that la grippe was epidemic catarrh, I tried Peruna for la grippe and found it to be just the thing."

In a letter dated January 31, 1903, Mr. Brock writes:

"I am well and feeling as well as I have for years. The only thing that bothers me is my sight. If I could see better I could walk all over the farm and it would do me good. I would not be without Peruna."

Yours truly,

Isaac Brock,

For a free book on catarrh, address The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, O.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

The number of cotton spindles in the principal countries of the world is as follows: Great Britain, 47,000,000; continent of Europe, 34,000,000; United States, North, 15,000,000; United States, South, 7,000,000; East Indies, 5,000,000; Japan, 1,500,000.

The French Government employs 1550 workmen and 15,000 women in the State tobacco manufactories, and makes a yearly profit of 400,000,000 francs.

The English language is much in use in Panama, especially on the Atlantic side.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, } ss.
LUCAS COUNTY.

FRANK J. CHENEY make oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D., 1886. { SEAL. } A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.

Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Sunday Island, in the Pacific, is really the tallest mountain in the world. It rises 2000 feet of five miles of water, and is thus nearly 30,000 feet from base to summit.

The average number of visitors in New York City is estimated at 250,000, and their stay is ten days.

Economy is the road to wealth. PUTNAM FADELESS DYES is the road to economy.

Jealousy makes a woman think she can secure a monopoly on a man's love by acting up.

Mrs Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething, soften the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c. a bottle

Too many people only know by hearsay that it is more blessed to give than to receive.

The Wonderful Cream Separator,

Does its work in thirty minutes and leaves less than 1 per cent. butter fat. The price is ridiculously low, according to size, $2.75 to $6.00 each, and when you have one you would not part therewith for fifty times its cost.

JUST SEND THIS NOTICE

with 5c. stamps for postage to the John A. Salzer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis., and get their big catalogue, fully describing this remarkable Cream Separator, and hundreds of other tools and farm seeds used by the farmer. [A.C.L.]

When a dude turns a woman's head it is usually in the other direction.

Dress and the Theater.

Somebody says the reason people don't go to the theater any more is because they don't like to dress up. Now, what do you think of that? In the first place, nobody has to dress for the theater in New York if he doesn't feel like it, and in the second place he usually feels like dressing up, especially if he is to take a lady with him—and who isn't? From our babyhood every one of us has had a weakness for our Sunday clothes, and there's not one of us who doesn't feel happier in them than in anything else. Now, honestly, isn't this true? And wouldn't you think that a person who can afford to give up two dollars for an orchestra chair, could afford an evening suit or a smart frock or two? This is no reason. Nor is it because the theaters are too fine, as some ingenious idiot has suggested, and that the general run of flat dwellers and working folks feel out of place in such rich surroundings. Nothing is too good for your true American. Ye are all multi-millionaires at heart, and the expression, "a champagne appetite with a ginger ale bank account," was never suggested by a manifestation of American modesty. We want all we can get for the money, and none of us is averse to sitting on pea green plush.—Eleanor Franklin, in Leslie's Weekly.

Mother

"My mother was troubled with consumption for many years. At last she was given up to die. Then she tried Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and was speedily cured."
D. P. Jolly, Avoca, N. Y.

No matter how hard your cough or how long you have had it, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is the best thing you can take. It's too risky to wait until you have consumption. If you are coughing today, get a bottle of Cherry Pectoral at once.

Three sizes: 25c., 50c., $1. All druggists.

Consult your doctor. If he says take it, then do as he says. If he tells you not to take it, then don't take it. He knows. Leave it with him. We are willing.
J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

City Trees.

In many cities throughout this country, and more notably in the famous municipalities of Europe, the value of systematic tree-planting along the public streets is highly appreciated. There is nothing that adds more to the beauty of a city than a succession of tree-lined avenues. Not only is the artistic senses satisfied, but from a hygienic standpoint the cultivation of city forestry along the borders of the public highways is worthy of every encouragement. Western cities have not practiced to so great an extent systematic tree-planting as have many of the larger towns in the east, a fact probably due to the engrossing activities incident to rapid development along what are considered more material lines.—Portland (Ore.) Telegram.

PAXTINE TOILET ANTISEPTIC

FOR WOMEN

A Boston physician's discovery which cleanses and heals all inflammation of the mucous membrane wherever located.

In local treatment of female ills Paxtine is invaluable. Used as a douche it is a revelation in cleansing and healing power; it kills all disease germs which cause inflammation and discharges.

Thousands of letters from women prove that it is the greatest cure for leucorrhœa ever discovered.

Paxtine never fails to cure pelvic catarrh, nasal catarrh, sore throat, sore mouth and sore eyes, because these diseases are all caused by inflammation of the mucous membrane.

For cleansing, whitening and preserving the teeth we challenge the world to produce its equal.

Physicians and specialists everywhere prescribe and endorse Paxtine, and thousands of testimonial letters prove its value.

At druggists, or sent postpaid 50 cts.

A large trial package and book of instructions absolutely free. Write The R. Paxton Co., Dept. 26 Boston, Mass.

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You cannot afford to do without a SILO. If you want one (or more), or need any lumber, timber, mill work to repair or build, or Boxes, or Crates, write G. ELIAS & BRO., Buffalo, N. Y., and get the best for the least money, direct from the source. Catalogues FREE. Silo agents wanted.

DROPSY NEW DISCOVERY; gives quick relief and cures worst cases. Book of testimonials and 10 days' treatment Free. Dr. H. H. GREEN SONS, Box B, Atlanta, Ga.

If afflicted with weak eyes, use Thompson's Eye Water

Council Proceedings.

February 2, 1904.

Council met in regular session this evening. Present: Messrs. Ruff Miller, McGaughy, Feiser and Haar. Minutes of last meeting read and approved

Street Committee—no report.

Water Committee—F. Miller reports about W F Sheely having work done at water pipe in order to secure water, Gilbert & Son did the work. The question as to who owns from main to service pipe was then discussed and it is the opinion of the Council that Borough owns and has control from main to service pipe. The motion of McGaughy that the bill of Gilbert & Son for opening and fixing pipe from main to service pipe at W. F. Sheely's be accepted, was seconded and carried

Town Property—no report

The following bills were presented, approved by Finance Committee and orders granted for payment of same:

J. W. Smith, pumping &c.	$ 10 50
C. M. Deatrich, lamp lighting,	10 65
A. J. Gulden, shoveling snow, &c.	4 00
G. W. Smith, repairing lamps,	1 45
G. W. Smith, police salary,	30 00
J. F Miller, Janitor salary	30 00
C. C. Sheely, express charges,	40
Gilbert & Son, Hardware	6 30
Gilbert & Son, repairing pipes	5 50
J. S. Weaver, Int'st on Bonds,	260 00
	$359 70

Adjourned. T. E. Bower, Sec.

Send Word to Carnegie.

Prof. J. O. Funkhouser, of Hagerstown, has completed an invention for the self-playing of pipe organs. The invention consists of an automatic attachment that can be fitted on the inside of any pipe organ, and produces the tones by blowing air through the pipes in the regular way.

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Daniel Baublitz, 70 years old, of York, while butchering cut the index finger on his left hand. On the day following, to lighten the duties of his wife, he assisted in the family laundry and the washing powder used irritated the cut, producing blood poisoning. Surgeons have since removed three of Baublitz's fingers and a portion of his hand, but it is doubtful if this will save his life, as his condition is extremely grave.

"DO IT TO-DAY."

The time-worn injunction, "Never put off 'til to-morrow what you can do to-day," is now generally presented in this form: "Do it to-day!" That is the terse advise we want to give you about that hacking cough or demoralizing cold with which you have been struggling for several days, perhaps weeks. Take some reliable remedy for it TO-DAY—and let that remedy be Dr. Boschee's German Syrup, which has been in use for over thirty-five years. A few doses of it will undoubtedly relieve your cough or cold, and its continued use for a few days will cure you completely No matter how deep-seated your cough, even if dread consumption has attacked your lungs, German Syrup will surely effect a cure—as it has done before in thousands of apparently hopeless cases of lung trouble New trial bottles 25c; regular size, 75c. At Wehler's drug store.

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The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Evangelical Lutheran Church will hold a supper, etc., on Friday and Saturday evenings, Feb. 26 and 27. Full particulars later. *

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BETTER THAN GOLD.—"I was troubled for several years with chronic indigestion and nervous debility," writes F. J. Green of Lancaster, N H "No remedy helped me until I began using Electric Bitters, which did me more good than all the medicines I ever used They have also kept my wife in excellent health for years. She says Electric Bitters are just splendid for female troubles; that they are a grand tonic and invigorator for weak, run down women. No other medicine can take its place in our family." Try them. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by Randolph Wehler.

Public Sale!

Saturday, March 12th 1904.

THE undersigned, intending to quit farming, will sell at public sale at his residence in Oxford township, Adams county, about 1½ miles West of New Oxford, along the Little Conewago creek, near Eichelberger's mill, the following personal property:

8 head of good Mules. 1 pair brown mules 7 years old, 1 pair black mules 6 years old, 1 pair chestnut bays 3 years old, 1 pair black and brown 3 years old, all are good workers and two of them good leaders; 6 head of No. 1 Milch Cows, some will be fresh by time of sale; 2 Heifers, 3 fine Bulls, 1 a full Holstein the other two 1½ yearlings; 2 Brood Sows, will have pigs by time of sale; 1 Berkshire Boar 2 nice Shoats, 2 Farm Wagons, 1 3-inch tread for 4 or 6 horses, the other a narrow tread, wagon bed, Spring Wagon, 1 Buggy, Champion Binder, (low down) with truck and sheaf carrier, used only two seasons; Champion combined harvester, in good order; 2 sulkey Cultivators, 1 a Hench & Dromgold, the other a Hoffheins, in good order; Spangler Corn Planter with phosphate attachment, 3 long plows 2 Mt. Joy, 1 Glen Rock, 1 Bendersville, 1 has sulkey attachment; Land Roller, grain fan, road cart, 2 Spring Harrows, one a wheel harrow; spike harrow, shovel plow, 2 corn forks, 2 set of manure plank, Grain Drill, Hay Rake, (Hagerstown make); Hay Fork, rope, pulleys and track entire length of barn; tripple, double and singletrees, jockey sticks, 2 pair hay carriages, 1 new; wheelbarrow, cutting box, farm bell, spreaders, 1 Chopping Mill, forks, rakes, shovels, house for young chickens 6x16 ft., 8 set Frontgears, 1 set Breechbands, set double buggy harness, used 5 times; 8 bridles, 8 collars, 8 halters 2 plow lines, 6 horse line, 3 pr. chek lines, wagon saddle, string large sleigh bells, 2 ladders, jack screw, (railroad make); fifth, log, cow, breast and butt chains, cross-cut saw, wood saw, grain cradle, 2 scythes, lot of hoes, bag truck, ½-bushel measure, bushel basket, pitch, grain and shaking forks, lot good grain sacks, 4 scraps of bees, etc.

Also Household Furniture: 1 large milk cupboard, 1 sink, Cook Stove, 2 bedsteads, Davis Sewing Machine, good as new, flour chest, wood box, bench, milk Separator, Wheeler Gravity Cream separator, 50 lb. milk can, 10 gal. stone jar, 6 gal stone jar, lot canned fruit, lot of preserves, lot of applebutter, coal oil stove, 2 bls. vinegar, 2 bls cider, ½ doz. plank-seat chairs, lot of old floor matting, 3 lanterns, iron kettle and stand, and many articles not mentioned. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock a. m. Terms made known by ALBERT RHINEHART

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Public Sale!

Wednesday, March 2nd, 1904.

THE undersigned, intending to quit farming, will sell at public sale, at his residence along the Bonneauville road about 1¼ mile from Brush Run school house, Mountpleasant township Adams county, Pa., the following personal property:

5 head of HORSES, consisting of 2 black mares, 12 years old work wherever hitched both leaders and good drivers, 2 3-year-old colts, work wherever hitched, 1 2-year old colt 5 head of CATTLE, consisting of 4 Milch Cows, 2 fresh by latter part of March, the others are Fall cows, 1 Heifer, fresh the latter part of march. 1 McCormic Binder, used only two seasons; Deering Mower, Threshing Machine and Power, Hay Rake, Superior Grain Drill, good as new; 1 narrow tread 4-horse wagon and bed, Dayton wagon, 1 Falling-top Buggy, Sleigh and bells, sled, 1 sulkey Corn Worker, spring harrow, shovel plow, grain fan, spider plow, forks, rakes, shovels, tripple, double and singletrees, spreader, log, cow, breast and butt chains, cutting box, 1 set Breechbands, 3 set Frontgears, 1 set double harness, 1 set buggy harness, collars, bridles, halters, and many other articles not mentioned.

Sale to commence at 12 o'clock M., when terms will be made known by J. S. A. SMITH.

G. L. Colestock, Auct.

Public Sale!

Monday, March the 7th, 1904.

THE undersigned intending to quit farming, will sell at public sale at her residence in Hamilton township, Adams county, Pa., on the Stambaugh farm, near Pine Run school house, the following personal property:

6 Head of No. 1 Work Horses, 5 of which are leaders; 9 Milch Cows, some will be fresh by time of sale: 4 Bulls, 1 Heifer; Champion Binder, only used one season, Deering Mower, threshing machine complete with straw carrier, grain fan, 2 grain drills one with phosphate attachment, 1 corn planter, corn cultivator, 6 shovel plows, 2 corn forks, spring harrow, good as new: land roller, 2 spike harrows, 1 3½-inch tread wagon, for four or six horses, with bed; 1 4 inch tread wagon, good as new; 1 narrow tread four horse wagon, 1 spring wagon, 1 pair hay ladders, 1 pr. hay carriages, 2 set manure plank, 6 set frontgears good as new; 6 fly nets, collars, bridles, halters, lines, check lines, log, cow and halter chains, rakes, shovels; manure, shaking and pitch forks, 1 emery stone, cutting box, grind stone, 1 belt jack. Also at the same time and place, a lot of Household and Kitchen furniture will be sold, and a great many articles not mentioned.

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